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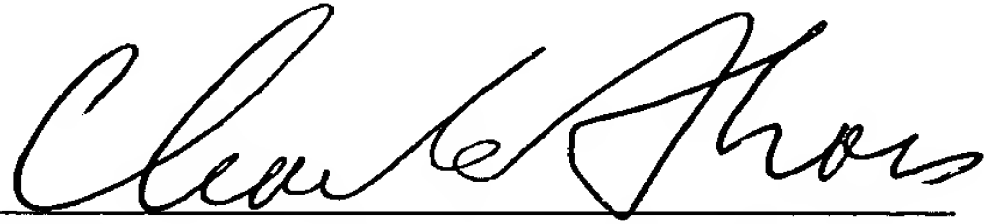
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified patent application be amended as indicated below.

In the Claims:

1. (Amended) A thermoplastic adsorbent composition comprising an adsorbent component dispersed in a thermoplastic organic matrix, said matrix containing a wax component and a thermoplastic resin component, said composition containing at least about 15 wt.% of said adsorbent component based on the total weight of the composition, said composition containing at least about 2 wt.% of said wax based on the combined weight of said wax and said thermoplastic resin, said wax having a weight average molecular weight of about 800 - 10,000, and said thermoplastic resin having a weight average molecular

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